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ANNUAL REPORT

OF

THE OFFICERS

OF THE

TOWN OF LYME

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— NEW HAMPSHIRE —

For the Year Ending January 31,

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## OFFICERS OF TOWN OF LYME

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### **Moderator**

RALPH W. BALCH

### **Town Clerk**

DAVID A. GRANT

### **Selectmen**

GEORGE A. PUSHEE                      SIDNEY W. BATES  
HERVEY H. HOBBS

### **Treasurer**

DAVID A. GRANT

### **Overseer of the Poor**

GEORGE A. PUSHEE

### **Tax Collector**

EARL C. PERKINS

### **Road Agent**

ZELMA H. BATES

### **Trustees of Trust Funds**

HERVEY H. HOBBS                      GEORGE A. PUSHEE  
SIDNEY W. BATES

### **Auditors**

GEORGE A. GREENWOOD              MARION N. SMALL

### **Supervisors**

ARAD J. WARREN              GEORGE A. GREENWOOD  
ARTHUR E. DERBY

### **Library Trustees**

HARRIET B. WARREN              LUELLA A. ALDEN  
HENRY S. PUSHEE              HERVEY H. HOBBS  
RALPH W. BALCH              EARL C. PERKINS  
L. MINNIE SMALL              ALICE W. THAYER  
ALVIN D. THAYER

### **Budget Committee**

GEORGE C. BRAY              HENRY S. PUSHEE  
ALVIN D. THAYER              RALPH A. LAMPHERE  
EARL C. PERKINS              DAVID E. COBURN  
RALPH W. BALCH              CHESTER D. PIKE  
FRANK W. HALL

### **School Board**

ARTHUR E. DERBY              MARY A. CHASE  
LELA LAMOTT

## TOWN WARRANT

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### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Lyme, in the County of Grafton, in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Church Hall in said Lyme on Tuesday, the ninth day of March, next at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
3. To see if the Town will vote to accept the various articles in the Budget as prepared by the Budget Committee.
4. To see what compensation the Town will allow its various officers the ensuing year. Also what price per day will be paid for Labor, Trucks and Teams on the Highways.
5. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired through tax collector's deeds.
6. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of Taxes.
7. To see if the Town will vote to allow bank discount on all taxes paid before Nov. 1, 1937.
8. To see what sum, if any, the Town will vote to raise for Blister Rust Control the ensuing year.
9. To see if the Town will vote to raise the sum of \$1227. for State Aid Construction, the State to give \$2454. to be expended on Grafton Turnpike.
10. To see if it is expedient to change the Constitution of the State.

11. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 20th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-seven.

George A. Pushee  
Sidney W. Bates  
Hervey H. Hobbs  
Selectmen of Lyme.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

George A. Pushee  
Sidney W. Bates  
Hervey H. Hobbs  
Selectmen of Lyme.

## INVENTORY OF THE TOWN OF LYME

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Lands and Buildings	\$707,400.00✓
Electric Plants	8,000.00✓
Horses, 157	17,875.00✓
Oxen, 8	800.00✓
Cows, 952	52,990.00✓
Other Neat Stock, 254	10,045.00✓
Sheep, 154	1,040.00✓
Hogs, 2	50.00✓
Fowls, 3,605	3,780.00✓
Portable Mills, 2	500.00✓
Boats and Launches, 8	200.00✓
Wood, Lumber, etc.	13,575.00✓
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks, 14	1,250.00✓
Stock in Trade	16,200.00✓
Aqueducts	800.00✓
Mills and Machinery	3,300.00✓
Polls Number 485 at 2,	
Total poll taxes \$970.00	
 Total Valuation	 \$837,805.00
	19,475.00
 Total, Exclusive of Soldiers' Ex- emptions and exemptions to blind	  \$818,330.00



## BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF LYME

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the  
 Ensuing Year February 1, 1937 to January 31, 1938  
 Compared with  
 Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous  
 Year February 1, 1936 to January 31, 1937

Sources of Revenue	Actual Revenue 1936	Estimated Revenue 1937
<b>From State:</b>		
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$1,023.81	\$1,023.81
Insurance Tax	9.00	9.00
Railroad Tax	1,270.51	1,270.51
Savings Bank Tax	690.11	690.11
For Fighting Forest Fires	3.40	
Rec'd for Bounties	91.20	67.20
<b>From Local Sources Except Taxes:</b>		
Business Licenses and Permits	4.00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees 1936	941.81	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees 1937	215.55	1,157.36
<b>From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:</b>		
(a) Poll Taxes	950.00	950.00
Rec'd from State, Flood Damage	1,823.35	
Rec'd from State, For Poor	290.67	75.00
<b>Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:</b>		
Notes for Town Expense	1,100.00	
Gift for Bridge	5,000.00	
<b>Cash on Hand (Surplus)</b>	<b>441.27</b>	<b>441.27</b>
Total Revenues from all Sources		
Except Property Taxes		5,242.99
Amount to be Raised by Property Taxes	\$24,741.79	\$26,072.86

<b>Purpose of Expenditures</b>	<b>Actual Exp. 1936</b>	<b>Estimated Exp. 1937</b>
<b>General Government:</b>		
Town Officers' Salaries	\$1,121.74	\$1,025.00
Town Officers' Expenses	361.24	275.00
Election and Registration Exp.	122.50	30.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings		15.00
<b>Protection of Persons and Property:</b>		
Bounties	67.20	75.00
Police Department	67.59	75.00
Fire Department	290.01	300.00
<b>Health:</b>		
Damage by Dogs	257.70	
Health Dept., including Hospitals	400.00	400.00
Vital Statistics	4.50	
Water Holes	50.35	
<b>Highways and Bridges:</b>		
Flood Damage	3,015.03	
Town Maintenance	3,284.97	5,000.00
Street Lighting	527.50	540.00
General Expenses of Highway Department, Paid by Selectmen	2,422.52	
<b>Libraries:</b>		
Loan to Building Committee	946.75	
Libraries	200.00	300.00
<b>Public Welfare:</b>		
Town Poor	871.75	900.00
Old Age Assistance	357.75	400.00
<b>Patriotic Purposes:</b>		
Memorial Day and Other Celebrations	58.00	75.00
Aid to Soldiers and Their Families	259.70	200.00
<b>Recreation:</b>		
Parks and Playgrounds, Including Band Concerts	43.70	100.00

<b>Public Service Enterprises:</b>		
Cemeteries	149.50	175.00
Miscellaneous	2,420.90	
<b>Interest:</b>		
On Temporary Loans	1,358.99	1,000.00
Grafton Co. Poor	1,146.90	
<b>Highways and Bridges:</b>		
State Aid Construction—		
Town's Share		645.26
New Equipment		500.00
<b>Indebtedness:</b>		
<b>Payment on Principal of Debt:</b>		
Notes	10,000.00	1,000.00
<b>Payments to Other Govern- mental Divisions:</b>		
State Taxes	2,336.00	2,336.00
County Taxes	3,164.91	3,164.91
Payments to School Dists.	12,970.75	12,784.68
Total Expenditures	\$48,278.55	\$31,315.85

**TOWN OF LYME****BALANCE****Assets**

Cash in hands of the Treasurer	\$6,384.25	
In hands of Road Agent	63.33	
	<hr/>	\$6,447.58

**Due from the State:**

For Bounties	\$67.20	
For highways	T.R.A. 2,382.70	
	<hr/>	2,449.90
Town of Thetford for planking	\$56.54	
Mr. Bernhardt on taxes	100.00	
	<hr/>	156.54

**Taxes bought by the Town:**

Levy of 1936	\$1,777.53	
Levy of 1935	1,516.08	
Levy of 1934	1,343.32	
Previous years	4,133.65	
	<hr/>	8,770.58

Total Assets	\$17,824.60
Excess of Liabilities over assets (Net Debt)	17,928.07

Grand Total	\$35,752.67
Net Debt January 31, 1936	\$15,968.42
Net Debt January 31, 1937	17,928.07
Increase of debt	1,959.65
Debt was created by snow and floods	



**Liabilities****Due School Districts:**

Dog Licenses	\$82.03	
Balance of Appropriation	4,792.27	
	<hr/>	\$4,874.30
Unexpended balance in Town Treasury T.R.A.	\$595.67	
Unexpended balance in State Treasury T.R.A.	2,382.70	
	<hr/>	2,978.37
Barnes gift for bridge		5,000.00
Outstanding Loans in anticipation of taxes		
Dartmouth National Bank on six months	\$15,000.00	
Arad J. Warren, After date	500.00	
Lyme Congregational Church After date	5,900.00	
Mildred M. Grant, After date	1,500.00	
	<hr/>	22,900.00
Total Liabilities		<hr/> \$35,752.67

## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

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**Libraries:**

Land and Buildings	\$15,000.00	
Furniture and Equipment	4,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$19,500.00

**Police Department:**

Land and Buildings	\$300.00	
	<hr/>	300.00

**Fire Department:**

Land and Buildings	\$500.00	
Equipment	2,000.00	
	<hr/>	2,500.00

**Highway Department:**

Land and Buildings	300.00	
Equipment	600.00	
Materials and Supplies	100.00	
	<hr/>	1,000.00

Herbert H. Barnes, Free Bed		5,000.00
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		\$28,300.00

## REPORT OF THE TOWN CLERK

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Received for licenses on 161 dogs	\$383.00	
Less Clerk's fee @ 20 cents	32.20	
	<hr/>	\$350.80
Received for Automobile Permits for 1936	\$941.81	
Received for Automobile Permits for 1937	215.55	
	<hr/>	1,157.36
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Total receipts		\$1,508.16
Paid Town Treasurer		\$1,508.16

David A. Grant, Town Clerk.

# REPORT OF THE

## Town of Lyme, N. H.

### RECEIPTS

#### Current Revenue

##### From Local Taxes:

Property taxes committed to Collector	\$24,741.79	
Less discounts and abatements	291.00	
	<u>\$24,450.79</u>	
Poll taxes actually collected	950.00	✓
		<u>25,400.79</u>
Tax sales redeemed		3,722.01

##### From State:

For flood damage	\$1,823.35	✓
Reimbursements for Town Poor—Old Age Assistance and Soldiers Aid	290.67	✓
Interest and Dividend Tax	1,023.81	✓
Insurance Tax	9.00	✓
Railroad Tax	1,270.51	✓
Savings Bank Tax	690.11	✓
Fighting Forest Fires	3.40	
Bounties	91.20	
	<u></u>	5,202.05

##### From County:

For Support of Poor	1,146.90
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##### From Local Sources Except Taxes:

Dog Licenses	\$350.83	✓
Library Committee in Payment of Loan	46.30	✓
Filing fees	4.00	✓
Permits for Motor Vehicles 1936	941.81	✓
Permits for Motor Vehicles 1937	215.55	✓
Error in Account	.29	✓
	<u></u>	2,458.78



## TOWN TREASURER

### PAYMENTS

#### Current Maintenance Expenses

##### General Government

1	Officers salaries	\$1,121.74 ✓	
2	Officers expenses	361.24 2	
3	Election expenses	122.50 1	
			\$1,605.48

##### Protection of Persons and Property:

4	Police Department	\$67.59 1	
5	Fire Department and Forest Fires	290.01 3	
6	Water holes	50.35 1	
7	Bounties	67.20 3	
8	Damage by dogs	257.70 2	
			732.85

##### Health:

9	Health Department and Hospitals		404.50
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##### Highways and Bridges:

10	By Selectmen		2,422.52 5
11	Town Maintenance		6,300.00
12	Street lighting	\$525.00	
	Lights for Tool-shed	2.76	
			527.76

##### 13 Libraries

	Town Library, Approp- riation	\$200.00	
	Converse Free Library, Loan	946.59	
			1,146.59 ✓

##### 14 Charities:

	Old age assistance	357.75	
	Town poor	871.75	
	County poor	1,146.90	
			2,376.40 ✓

##### 15 Patriotic Purposes:

	Memoiral Day exercises	\$58.00	
	Aid to soldiers and families	259.70	
			317.70

##### Recreation:

16	Parks and Playgrounds		43.70
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## RECEIPTS (Continued)

### Receipts other than Current Revenue:

Temporary Loan in anticipation of taxes	\$11,000.00 ✓	
George W. Barnes, Gift for Bridge	5,000.00 <sup>11</sup>	
	<hr/>	16,000.00
Total receipts from all sources		\$53,930.53
Cash on hand February 1, 1936		441.27
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Grand Total		\$54,371.80
Abatements and discounts		291.00
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		\$54,662.80

## PAYMENTS (Continued)

### Public Service Enterprises:

17	Cemeteries		149.50
18	<b>Unclassified:</b>		
	Office Chairs	\$21.50	
	Lyme School District for School House	300.00	
	Taxes bought by Town	1,777.53	
	Discounts and Abatements	321.87	
		<hr/>	2,420.90
19	<b>Interest:</b>		1,358.99 ✓
20	<b>Indebtedness:</b>		
	Payment on Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes		\$10,000.00 ✓
21	<b>Payments to other Gov- ernmental Divisions:</b>		
	Taxes paid to State	\$2,336.00 ✓	
	Taxes paid to County	3,164.91 ✓	
	Payments to School Dis- tricts	12,970.75 ✓	
		<hr/>	18,471.66 ✓
	Total Payments for all Purposes		<hr/> \$48,278.55
	Cash on hand January 31, 1937		6,384.25
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	Grand Total		\$54,662.80

## DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### Detail One, Salaries

Marian N. Small, Auditor	\$3.00
George A. Greenwood, Auditor	3.00
George A. Pushee, Selectman	159.00
Hervey H. Hobbs, Selectman	130.50
Sidney W. Bates, Selectman	144.00
George A. Pushee, Overseer	57.20
David A. Grant, Treasurer	75.00
David A. Grant, Clerk	75.83
David A. Grant, Auto Permits	94.75
Earl C. Perkins, Collector	379.46

\$1,121.74 ✓

### Detail Two, Officers Expenses

To Cory-Hewitt Press, Printing Reports	\$138.40
Arad J. Warren, Surety Bonds	35.00
W. J. Randolph, Transfers	9.38
R. T. Bartlett, Transfers	.60
Edson C. Eastman Co., Blanks	9.80
George A. Pushee	50.48
Sidney W. Bates	16.50
Hervey H. Hobbs	32.00
David A. Grant	40.93
Earl C. Perkins	8.60
Norris Cotton, Council	16.80
Frank E. West, Blank book	.75
Assessors Association tax	2.00

361.24

### Detail Three, Election Expense

Ralph W. Balch, Moderator	\$15.00
Arad J. Warren, Supervisor	26.00
Arthur E. Derby, Supervisor	21.50
George A. Greenwood, Supervisor	15.00
Fred W. Grant, Ballot Clerk	15.00
Carroll S. Wells, Ballot Clerk	9.00
Perley G. Ward, Ballot Clerk	9.00
Fred C. Welch, Ballot Clerk	9.00
Herbert I. Perkins, Ballot Clerk	3.00

122.50



## Detail Four, Protection of Persons and Property

### Police Department

R. E. Weeden, Supplies	\$1.25
Hervey H. Hobbs, Fuel, Etc.	18.00
Ray C. Jackman, Constable	25.00
Carl A. Davis, Police	22.00
Frank E. West, Supplies	1.34
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✓67.59

### Detail Five, Fire Department

Hervey H. Hobbs, Coal and Gas	\$44.91
R. E. Weeden, Coal and Pails	38.37
Earl C. Perkins, Janitor and Fuses	48.00
Goram Fire Equip. Co., Fuses	12.40
Hazen E. Turner, Repairs	8.00
Fairlee Fire Department	5.00
Hanover Fire Dept., Soule Fire	133.33
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✓290.01

### Detail Six, Water Holes

Sidney W. Bates	\$48.20
Hervey H. Hobbs	1.00
Frank E. West, Nails and Spikes	1.15
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✓50.35

### Detail Seven, Bounties

George A. Pushee, Cash paid	\$50.80
Sidney W. Bates, Cash paid	3.60
Hervey H. Hobbs, Cash paid	12.80
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✓67.20

### Detail Eight, Damage by Dogs

John L. Norris, Sheep killed	\$113.70
George W. Barnes, Sheep killed	144.00
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✓257.70

### Detail Nine, Health and Hospitals

Mary Hitchcock Mem. Hospital, Appropriation	\$400.00
William F. Putnam M. D., Vital Statistics	4.50
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404.50

### Detail Ten, Highways by Selectmen

Chester A. Hobbs, 1935 snow	\$1,907.23	1
E. L. Avery, Snow	6.20	1
Hathorn's Garage, Repairs snow plow	66.82	1
W. W. Day, Plank	200.72	2
Leo A. Jenks, Plank	63.00	2
Chester A. Hobbs, Plank	154.56	2
Sidney W. Bates, Labor	21.00	1
David J. Pushee, Water	3.00	2
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	2,522.52	

### Detail Eleven, Town Maintenance 1935-1936 Snow Bills

Chester A. Hobbs

Chester A. Hobbs, truck and labor	\$309.50
Frank T. Gregory, truck and labor	231.00
Hervey H. Hobbs, truck and labor	170.35
P. A. Davis, labor	70.40
Shirly Hendrick, labor	67.00
Howard DeGoosh, labor	74.00
Hugh Bryan, labor	36.80
Roy Roberts, labor	1.60
Mason Balch, labor	1.40
Ray Jackman, labor	2.60
A. E. Derby, labor	7.00
C. A. Smith, labor	5.20
Lewis Warren, labor	3.30
Gerald Davis, labor	11.60
Richard Gray and team	15.20
Lawrence Gray, labor	19.64
H. H. Johnson, labor	7.00
George H. Bryant, labor	4.80
E. G. Webb, labor	12.60
Vernon Hall, labor	5.60
Frank Hardy, labor	5.80
Harvey Balch, labor	7.20
John Piper, labor	4.80
Charles Rich, labor	5.70
James Young, labor	11.20
Walter Piper, labor	23.80

O. P. Hall, labor	7.60
Earl Pike, labor	7.60
Roswell Mativia, labor	42.80
L. Coutermarsh, labor	2.00
W. R. Lamphier, labor	10.00
Lisle, Thurston, labor	2.40
Harley Gray, labor	3.60
L. Gray, labor	16.46
Richard Gray, labor	12.40
James Young, labor	28.00
John D. Piper, labor	2.40
Walter Piper, labor	32.60
Bert Dennis, labor	32.00
Lee W. Piper, labor	22.60
O. P. Hall, labor	14.00
Earl Pike, labor	26.65
A. E. Derby, labor	7.20
Frank Chesley, labor	30.90
Frank Hardy, labor	4.00
Earl Wing, labor	8.60
Gerald Davis, labor	13.20
Richard Hall, labor	4.00
Gordon Hall, labor	9.40
Harvey Balch, labor	2.00
F. H. Johnson, labor	15.20
Albert Paul, labor	14.00
Lee W. Cutting, labor	2.00
Raymond Balch, labor	19.80
C. A. Smith, labor	6.40
George H. Bryant, labor	19.00
Charles Rich, labor	11.00
Harold Wing, labor	12.80
Roger B. Elder, labor	6.40
George B. Elder, labor	12.00
Edmi C. Lord, labor	27.60
Henry J. Bailey, labor	5.20
Kenneth Wilmot, labor	2.80
Ernest Stewart, labor	10.00
R. T. Mitchell, labor	9.60
E. L. Avery, labor	7.60
John Greenwood, labor	1.60
Frank Hardy, labor	6.20
H. H. Johnson, labor	10.00
Lee W. Cutting, labor	6.00

Vernon Hall, labor	4.00
L. Gray, labor	9.60
Albert Paul, labor	7.00
Lon Pike, labor	6.40
Harry Perkins, labor	21.80
Herbert Perkins, labor	27.60
James Perkins, labor	4.00
Roswell Mativia, labor	24.20
Bert Dennis, labor	13.60
Frank Chesley, labor	10.40
H. J. Ward, labor	6.40
S. W. Bates, labor	7.60
C. J. Godin, labor	11.80
Earl Pike, labor	3.60

#### Miscellaneous

Envelopes	\$1.60
Express	4.40
H. A. Clark, repairs	
on plow	14.12
Telephone	.90
F. L. Blake	18.00
V. A. Hobbs	47.50
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	\$86.52

\$1,907.22

#### Flood Work and Material

##### Zelma H. Bates

Zelma Bates, labor	\$341.60
Hugh Bryan, labor	77.80
Blandin & Glover, labor	54.50
Leon Bombard, labor	6.40
James Boker, labor	27.20
Sidney Bates, labor	2.00
Duane Bedell, labor	1.40
Harry Bean, labor	16.00
Martin, Camp, labor	2.80
Willis Claflin, labor	2.20
David Coburn, labor	7.00
Maurice Crawford, labor	19.00
Frank Chesley, labor	4.40
Howard DeGoosh, labor	61.20
Perry Davis, labor	13.40
Leslie Drew, labor	3.60

Gerald Davis, labor	16.60
G. B. Elder, labor	6.60
Russell Eaton, labor	16.40
Maurice Eaton, labor	20.40
David Fowler, labor	3.20
John Gray, labor	3.80
Alice Gray, labor	16.00
Clarence Gray, labor	28.40
Lee Goodrich, labor	16.40
Robert Goodrich, labor	36.40
C. J. Godin, labor	6.40
Harry Greenwood, labor	6.40
John Greenwood, labor	13.40
Lawrence Hutchins, labor	130.40
Shirley Hendrick, labor	34.40
O. P. Hall, labor	1.80
Frank Hardy, labor	28.00
John Jgow, labor	33.60
John Jewell, labor	37.00
Fred Johnson, labor	6.60
Ray Jackman, labor	5.00
Roland Messier, labor	40.80
Roswell, Mativia, labor	8.20
Paul Murphy, labor	9.20
Kenneth Maguire, labor	1.40
William Morrell, labor	3.20
Fred McDonald, labor	22.80
Forest Perkins, labor	57.40
Albert Paul, labor	1.60
Herbert Perkins, labor	8.40
George Perkins, labor	1.60
Earl Pike, labor	8.00
Harry Perkins, labor	23.80
William Piper, labor	21.20
Lee Piper, labor	2.40
David Pushee, labor	7.80
Kenneth Rennie, labor	10.60
Lawrence Regan, labor	11.80
Mark Silloway, labor	72.00
Earl Smith, labor	20.80
George Stark, labor	6.00
Bryan Soule, labor	20.00
George Shattuck, labor	3.60
Clifford Sanborn, labor	1.40
Otis Sanborn, labor	6.20



Harry Sanborn, labor	7.40	
Fred Stevens, labor	6.00	
Walter Stevens, labor	4.00	
Charles Tupper, labor	33.60	
Lyle Thurston, labor	6.80	
Albert Tattersall, labor	22.40	
George Tattersall, labor	21.60	
Ray Uline, labor	.80	
Ernest Vachon, labor	24.00	
Albert Vachon, labor	2.40	
Henry Widmar, labor	16.00	
Edd Webb, labor	20.40	
Leo Wilmot, labor	3.20	
Elber Wilmot, labor	9.60	
Linwood Wilmot, labor	1.20	
Fred Welch, labor	3.20	
Perley Ward, labor	7.60	
Stanley Young, labor	1.40	
	<hr/>	\$1,669.50

### **Town Flood Work**

#### **TEAMS**

Blandin & Glover	\$4.50	
Gerald Davis	6.00	
Lawrence Gray	28.00	
O. P. Hall	20.63	
Earl Pike	6.00	
Harold Wing	2.25	
Perley Ward	6.75	
	<hr/>	\$74.13

#### **TRUCKS**

Zelma Bates	\$495.60	
Blandin & Glover	39.00	
F. T. Gregory	11.90	
D. R. Mativia	51.10	
Ralph Small	67.20	
R. E. Weeden	4.20	
Kenneth Rennie	273.70	
	<hr/>	\$942.70

#### **MISCELLANEOUS BILLS**

S. J. Alger, Signs	\$4.00
Sidney Bates, Bridge stringers	1.00
Sidney Bates, Gravel	1.80

Perry Davis, Gravel	1.40	
Dexter G. Everett, Bridge Stringers	2.00	
Perley Hall, Gravel	2.20	
Ira Granger, Gravel	5.40	
Mylan Messier, Sacks	2.20	
Chester Pike, Gravel	4.80	
Weymouth Pike, Gravel	37.60	
Charles Sanborn, Lumber	15.00	
Chester Stark, Gravel	4.00	
H. J. Sargney, Sawing lumber	17.38	
Rich Bros., Tools, and etc.	19.10	
W. H. Trumbull, use of jacks for bridge	11.50	
R. E. Weeden, Cement and tools	153.84	
Henry Widmar, Gravel	30.00	
Frank E. West, Supplies	15.48	
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		\$328.70

#### SUM TOTALS

Labor	\$1,669.50	
Teams	74.13	
Trucks	942.70	
Bills for supplies and etc.	328.70	
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		\$3,015.03

#### Cost of Bridges, Flood Washburn Hill Bridge

Labor	\$279.40	
Trucking	117.60	
Gravel	5.40	
Derrick (Trumbull)	3.00	
R. E. Weeden, Cement and etc.	99.94	
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		\$505.34

#### Edgel Bridge

Labor	\$349.00	
Trucking	51.80	
Team	22.00	
Sawing Lumber	17.38	
Trumbull, Jacks and fence wire	8.50	
R. E. Weeden, Spikes	20.25	
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		\$468.93

### North Thetford Bridge

Labor and Watchman	\$231.05	
Team	7.00	
Trucks drawing lumber, planks and steel	43.80	
R. E. Weeden, Oil	10.00	
	<hr/>	\$291.85

### Snow Bills 1935-1936

Paid by Z. Bates—OK by C. A. Hobbs

Frank Bailey	8.80	
William Day	1.00	
Gerald Davis	11.80	
Arthur E. Derby	2.40	
George B. Elder	16.40	
Alice Gray	6.00	
Verne Hobbs	1.35	
Fred Johnson	8.60	
Edmi C. Lord	13.20	
Otis Sanborn	16.20	
Harry Sanborn	4.40	
Gordon Sanborn	10.00	
William Thompson	3.75	
Edd Webb	20.00	
Elber Wilmot	5.20	
Perley Ward	6.50	
Walter Widmar	16.00	
Henry Widmar, Sr.	3.20	
Henry Widmar, Jr.	16.00	
Roger Elder	5.60	
	<hr/>	\$176.40

### Town Road Work

Eugene Avery, labor	\$7.20
Zelma Bates, labor	547.39
Harvey Balch, labor	32.40
Sidney Bates, labor	32.00
Hugh Bryan,	21.00
Charles Bishop, labor	3.20
Willis Claffin, labor	4.00
David Coburn, labor	3.20
Howard DeGoosh, labor	205.00
Clifford Davis, labor	4.20
George Davis	3.60

George B. Elder, labor	6.40	
Clarence Gray, labor	3.20	
Frank Hardy, labor	18.60	
Hervey Hobbs, labor	1.60	
Chester Hobbs, labor	6.40	
Charles Hutchins, labor	1.80	
Lawrence Hutchins, labor	3.20	
Perley Hall, labor	4.00	
Gordon Hall, labor	3.20	
Herbert Johnson, labor	5.60	
William Johnson	2.00	
Fred Johnson, labor	6.20	
Fred McDonald, labor	1.40	
Justin Norris, labor	4.20	
Forest Perkins, labor	72.20	
Harry Perkins, labor	2.20	
David Pushee, labor	4.00	
Earl Pike, labor	6.00	
William Piper, labor	31.60	
Kenneth Rennie, labor	18.00	
Carl Smith, labor	49.60	
Gordon Sanborn, labor	1.00	
Byron, Soule, labor	7.20	
Norman Shaw, labor	6.40	
Ned Watts, labor	2.40	
Edd Webb, labor	18.60	
Leo Wilmot, labor	3.40	
Frank Webb, labor	3.20	
Sterling Young, labor	17.60	
	<hr/>	\$1,174.39

#### **Town Maintenance**

Perley Hall, team	\$10.50	
Zelma Bates, tractor	268.10	
Zelma Bates, truck	848.70	
Hervey Hobbs, truck	18.90	
Kenneth Rennie, truck	101.80	
Frank Webb, truck	9.60	
	<hr/>	\$1,257.60

#### **Miscellaneous Bills**

W. D Bratteross, road machine	\$26.50
Austin Road Machine Co.	7.24
American Powder Co., dynamite	16.50
Hathorn's Garage, road machine	4.25

D. A. Derby, steel	1.62	
J. A. Smalley, sharpening tools	15.80	
R. E. Weeden	44.14	
F. E. West	3.25	
Weymouth Pike, gravel	7.60	
Henry Widmar, gravel	1.65	
	<hr/>	\$128.55

#### **Labor Sanding**

Zelma Bates	\$29.67	
Howard DeGoosh	30.60	
Hugh Bryan	6.00	
Forrest Perkins	11.80	
William Piper	2.40	
Lawrence Regan	1.40	
Olyph Pushee	1.40	
	<hr/>	\$83.27

#### **Trucks Sanding**

Zelma Bates	\$76.30	
Kenneth Rennie	35.00	
	<hr/>	\$111.30

#### **Labor Plowing Snow**

Zelma Bates	\$17.05	
Howard DeGoosh	9.20	
Forrest Perkins	6.00	
	<hr/>	\$32.25

#### **Trucks and Tractors Plowing Snow**

Zelma Bates, tractor	\$43.40	
Zelma Bates, truck	21.00	
Kenneth Rennie, truck	16.80	
	<hr/>	\$81.20

#### **Snow Bills**

W. D. Beathrow, labor	\$21.15	
D. D. Beathrow, windows	4.50	
Hervey Hobbs, wood	3.50	
Town of Plainfield, snow plow	38.00	
T. E. Ward, bolts	3.00	
J. A. Smalley, labor	14.23	
Sears, Roebuck Co., stove	16.88	



W. H. Trumbull, celotex	11.52	
W. H. Trumbull, Chloride	20.00	
William Rutledge, window sash	4.50	
Telephone Co.	3.85	
Chester Pike, wood	14.00	
F. E. West, paint, screen and cork	18.62	
Weymouth Pike, gravel	7.40	
	<hr/>	\$176.65
Cost of Flood—Total	\$3,015.03	
Cost of Town Maintenance	3,045.21	
C. A. Hobbs, snow bills	176.40	
Balance on Hand	63.36	
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Total expended by Zelma Bates		✓\$6,300.00

#### **Detail Twelve, Street Lighting**

Central Vermont Public Service Corp., Street lights	\$525.00	
Central Vermont Public Service Corp., Lights for tool shed	2.76	
	<hr/>	✓\$527.76

#### **Detail Thirteen, Libraries**

Converse Free Library, Loan	\$946.59	
Lyme Town Library, Appropriation	200.00	
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#### **Detail Fourteen, Charities**

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\$2,376.40 ✓

#### **Detail Fifteen, Patriotic Purposes**

American Legion, Memorial Day	\$58.00	
Aid to soldiers and their families	259.70	
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#### **Detail Sixteen, Parks and Playgrounds**

Fred W. Grant, Foreman	\$14.50
Paul Murphy, raking	4.20
Maurice Crawford, raking	3.90
Charles H. Hutchins, raking	4.00
George A. Marshall, raking	4.20

William C. Piper, raking	4.60	
Frank W. Noyes, raking	4.60	
Homer Lamphere, raking	3.70	
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		\$43.70

#### **Detail Seventeen, Cemeteries**

Fred W. Grant, Sexton	\$42.45	
Frank W. Noyes, moving and raking	44.10	
Weymouth Pike, cleaning snow	14.00	
Homer Lamphere, labor	6.10	
William C. Piper, labor	6.60	
Wilson D. Johnson, labor	2.00	
Maurice Crawford, labor	4.90	
George A. Marshall, labor	4.70	
Charles H. Hutchins, labor	4.10	
Clyde F. Grant, labor	5.70	
Alan W. Grant, labor	1.60	
Edd M. Cutting, labor	9.00	
Paul Murphy, labor	.50	
Cash for overhauling mowers	3.75	
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		\$149.50

#### **Detail Eighteen, Unclassified**

Lyme School District, Hewes school house	\$300.00	
Little Store, office chairs for Selectmen's room	21.50	
Taxes bought by the Town	1,777.53	
Abatements and Discounts	321.87	
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		\$2,420.90

#### **Detail Nineteen, Interest**

Mildred M. Grant, Interest to January 1, 1936	\$75.00	
Lyme Congregational Church, Interest to July 1, 1936	290.50	
Dartmouth National Bank, Interest to July 1, 1936	993.49	
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		\$1,358.99

**Detail Twenty, Payments on Temporary  
Loans in Anticipation of Taxes**

Dartmouth National Bank	\$10,000.00
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**Detail Twenty-One, Payments to other  
Governmental Divisions**

Taxes paid to State	\$2,336.00	
Taxes paid to County	3,164.91	
Payments to School Districts	12,970.75	
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David A. Grant, Treasurer.

Lyme, N. H., Feb. 1, 1937.

George A. Pushee  
Sidney W. Bates  
Hervey H. Hobbs

Selectmen.

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Lyme, N. H., February 6, 1937

This certifies that we have this day examined the accounts of David A. Grant, Town Clerk and Treasurer, also the accounts of the Highway Agent, the Selectmen and the Treasurer of the Trust Funds and the Library Treasurer and find all correctly cast and each item supported by its proper voucher.

George Greenwood  
Marion N. Small

Auditors.

# Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Lyme on February 1, 1937

Showing the Purpose for Which each Fund was Created and Disposition of Same

Date of Creation	Cemetery Trust Funds Name of Donor	Dart	Amt. Rate		Income beginning year	Income during year	Exp. during year	Bal. of Income on hand end yr.
			Prin.	Int.				
1903	Betsey Tinkham—Cyrus N. Philbrick	Savings Bank	\$100.00	3%		\$3.02	\$3.02	
1905	Nancy Dimick—Executor	Savings Bank	25.00	3%	.75	.75		
1907	Mary Warren—Executor	Savings Bank	50.00	3%		1.51	2.00	57
1908	Clarinda & Alfred Davis—Chas. A. Davis	Savings Bank	75.00	3%		2.26	2.26	
1913	Thomas W. Baker—Sarah W. Baker	Savings Bank	90.67	3%	17.15	2.74	3.00	16.89
1913	Walter G. Piper—Executor	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	9.94	3.02	3.00	9.96
1915	Freeman P. Holt—Mrs. Roswell Fox	Savings Bank	50.00	3%	2.69	1.51	2.00	2.20
1915	Isaac P. Holt—Herbert H. Holt	Savings Bank	50.00	3%	3.34	1.51	2.00	2.85
1915	John N. Holt—Herbert H. Holt	Savings Bank	50.00	3%	3.15	1.51	2.00	2.66
1915	George Swan—Herbert H. Holt	Savings Bank	50.00	3%	3.84	1.51	2.00	3.35
1915	Dr. Cyrus & Dea. Irenus Hamilton—H. K. Hamilton	Savings Bank	200.00	3%	36.72	6.04	11.10	31.66
1915	Samuel F. Ball & Elisha P. Ball—S. F. Ball	Savings Bank	100.00	3%		3.02	2.00	1.02
1916	Edson Blaisdell—Mrs. Edson Blaisdell	Savings Bank	50.00	3%		1.51	1.51	
1917	Leroy W. Emery—Leroy W. Emery	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	21.95	3.02	3.00	21.97
1917	Benj. T. Washburn—Katherine Washburn	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	10.56	3.02	3.00	10.58
1918	Harris Allen—Mrs. Roswell Fox	Savings Bank	25.00	3%		.75	.75	
1918	Lyme School Note	Savings Bank	2788.75	3%		84.29	84.29	
1918	Wm. H. Dimick—Executor	Savings Bank	50.00	3%		1.51	1.50	
1918	Capt. David Turner—Mrs. Julia Fitch	Savings Bank	25.00	3%		.75	.75	
1918	David Turner—Frank Turner	Savings Bank	75.00	3%	.47	2.26	2.00	.73
1919	A. C. & M. C. G. Walker—S. G. & R. T. Walker	Savings Bank	200.00	3%	20.52	6.04	6.00	20.56
1919	Thomas L. Gilbert—Miss Frances Gilbert	Savings Bank	200.00	3%	63.08	6.04	13.00	56.12
1920	C. M. Dustin—S. A. Willgar	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	30.23	3.02	2.50	30.75
1920	Wesley Goodell	Savings Bank	75.00	3%	10.12	2.26	2.50	9.88
1920	Caleb F. Ward—C. E. Ward	Savings Bank	75.00	3%	14.74	2.26	2.00	15.00
1921	Elisha P. Ball & Samuel F. Ball—Lestina Ball	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	1.02	3.02	2.00	2.04
1921	Nathan G. Shattuck—Mrs. Lizzie Franklin	Savings Bank	50.00	3%	.76	1.51	2.00	.27
1921	Mary & Arthur Everett—Sarah Hodgdon	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	24.16	3.20	2.00	25.18
1921	T. M. Franklin—H. O. Franklin	Savings Bank	50.00	3%		1.51	1.51	
1922	William B. Piper—Harriet D. Piper	Savings Bank	50.00	3%		1.51	1.51	
1922	Selah Beal & Wife & Ida Farwell & Son—Jennie Palmer	Savings Bank	50.00	3%		1.51	1.51	
1923	Gilman Whittemore—Clara A. Whittemore	Savings Bank	25.00	3%		.75	.75	

1923 William Kemp—Julia Kemp	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	18.33	3.02	2.00	19.35
1923 Frank & Henry Cutting—Ada Blood	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	10.36	3.02	2.50	10.88
1923 Dwight Rich—Sarah I Rich	Savings Bank	75.00	3%	10.20	2.26	2.00	10.46
1924 Harrison Pressey—Harriet Pressey	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	7.21	3.02	3.00	7.23
1924 Edd M. Cutting	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	22.74	3.02	2.00	23.76
1925 Geo. P. Amsden—Executor	Savings Bank	50.00	3%		1.51	1.50	.01
1925 Freeman P. Sanborn—Mary Sanborn	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	18.14	3.02	2.00	19.16
1925 Samuel H. Webster—Anna Webster	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	17.19	3.02	2.00	18.21
1925 D. B. & A. D. Dimick—Mrs. Lizzie Dimick	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	2.03	3.02	3.00	2.05
1925 O. W. Dimick & P. E. Fairfield—Mrs. Lizzie Dimick	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	5.48	3.02	3.00	5.50
1925 Carroll Dana Dimick—Mrs. Lizzie Dimick	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	4.74	3.02	3.00	4.76
1925 Rev. Jarad Tozier — Wife—Their Children	Savings Bank	50.00	3%		1.51	1.51	
1926 Leander D. Warren—Lewis W. Warren	Savings Bank	50.00	3%		1.51	1.51	
1926 Lewis W. Warren—Lewis W. Warren	Savings Bank	50.00	3%		1.51	1.51	
1926 Stephen A. Willigar—S. A. Willigar	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	13.66	3.02	2.00	14.68
1926 Joel Heminway—Mrs. Abbie Hubbard	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	6.93	3.02	3.00	6.95
1926 Fred B. Palmer—Mrs. Jennie Palmer	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	4.22	3.02	2.00	5.24
1926 Sarah Conant—F. B. Conant	Savings Bank	50.00	3%		1.51	1.51	
1926 Henry Pratt—Frank Pratt	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	13.33	3.02	2.00	14.35
1926 Alfred, Georgianna & Frederick Dodge—Mrs. H. E. Averill	Savings Bank	100.00	3%		3.02	3.02	
1926 Theodore W. Wise—Mrs. Mary L. & Miss Hattie Wise	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	16.62	3.02	2.00	17.64
1927 Asa Warren & Wife—Their Children	Savings Bank	50.00	3%		1.51	1.51	
1927 Erastus Grant—Miss Isabelle Grant	Savings Bank	150.00	3%	15.07	4.53	4.00	15.60
1928 Harry O. Franklin—H. O. Franklin	Savings Bank	50.00	3%		1.51	1.51	
1928 John Clark—Harland P. Clark	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	8.89	3.02	3.00	8.91
1929 Warren W. Parker—Archie Ames	Savings Bank	50.00	3%		1.51	1.51	
1929 Sidney A. Converse & Benjamin Converse—Executor	Savings Bank	200.00	3%	20.85	6.04	4.00	22.89
1930 Georgia Wilson Johnson & Henry Wilson—Heirs	Savings Bank	50.00	3%	21.98	3.02	4.00	21.00
1930 George Flint & W. W. Balch—Walter Flint, Executor	Savings Bank	100.00	3%	1.70	2.26	2.00	1.96
1932 James Cook—Ralph Flint	Savings Bank	75.00	3%	2.70	2.26	2.00	2.96
1932 Wesley Flint—Ralph Flint	Savings Bank	200.00	3%	8.60	6.04	2.00	12.64
1932 Charles E. Hewes & Oliver Hewes—Charles E. Hewes	Savings Bank	150.00	3%	6.03	4.53	4.00	6.56
1933 Frank Frost & Lewis Mativia—Ida Johnson Paul	Savings Bank	200.00	3%	1.04	6.04	2.50	4.58
1934 John Hall—Susan C. Hall	Savings Bank	100.00	3%		1.00		1.00
1936 Reuben Waite & Sarah Converse—Executor	Totals	8,604.46	3%	533.54	257.85	248.82	542.57



## LYME TOWN LIBRARY

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### Financial Statement

#### Receipts:

Balance on hand	\$122.32	
From Town appropriation	200.00	
From fines	5.56	
From books sold	6.15	
Gift from Amanda Moulton		
Estate	100.00	
Trust funds — Dartmouth		
Savings Bank	839.47	
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#### Expenditures:

Books	\$89.96	
Periodicals	15.60	
Salary of Librarian	24.00	
Salary of Janitor	11.95	
Lights	14.81	
Supplies and Postage	1.43	
Furniture, Lougee & Robinson	172.25	
Building Fund, Town of Lyme	639.00	
Oil, E. W. Cross	7.75	
Oil, Eastman Oil Co.	34.11	
Labor, Hazen Turner	8.25	
Labor, Frank Bailey	8.40	
Labor, Clyde Grant	3.75	
Total Expenditures	<hr/>	\$1,031.26
Balance on hand		242.24
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		\$1,273.50

Earl C. Perkins, Treasurer.

## LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

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### Resources:

Number of bound volumes at beginning of year	4,743
Number of bound volumes added during current year	59
Total	4,802
Discarded	31
Number of bound volumes at end of year	4,771

### Service:

	Adult	Juvenile	Total
Number of volumes of fiction lent	2,210	473	2,683
Number of volumes of non-fiction lent	175	173	348
Total circulation for current year	2,385	646	3,031
New borrowers			9
Active borrowers			140

It was necessary to suspend library service from September 2 to January 16, when the new Converse Free Library building was opened to the public.

Visitors to the library are cordially welcome, and it is expected that the reading rooms will be enjoyed by both adults and the children.

The hours at the present time are as formerly: Saturday afternoons, 1:30 to 5, and Tuesday evenings, 7 to 9 o'clock.

Julia L. Mayo, Librarian.

# REPORT OF THE BUILDING COMMITTEE

## For the Converse Free Library

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Received from the Estate of		
Sidney A. Converse	\$12,707.24	
Received for house sold	1,500.00	
Received for sale of small		
building	15.00	
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Total Receipts		\$14,222.24
Paid for Slack house and land	\$3,000.00	
Paid Wells, Hudson & Granger	610.40	
Paid W. H. Trumbull	9,800.00	
Paid H. H. Hobbs for		
trucking, etc	42.60	
Paid John B. Simpson for stone	17.25	
Paid Wm. J. Randolph for		
registering deeds	5.25	
Paid Hanover Gazette for		
advertising	1.90	
Paid A. J. Warren for Insurance	183.58	
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Total Expenditures		13,660.98
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Balance turned over to the Trustees		\$561.26

Geo. A. Pushee,  
Chairman of Committee.

## REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR

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Paid for support of County Poor	\$1,446.90
Received from Grafton County	1,446.90
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Paid for support of Town Poor	\$871.75
Paid for Soldiers Aid	259.70
Paid for Old Age Assistance	357.75
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	\$1,489.20
Received from State	290.67
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	\$1,198.53

Geo. A. Pushee,  
Overseer of Poor.





## · LYME SCHOOL DISTRICT

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### **School Board**

Arthur E. Derby	1937
Mary A. Chase	1938
Lela M. LaMott	1939

### **Treasurer**

David A. Grant

### **Truant Officer**

Earl C. Perkins

### **Superintendent**

Robert J. Fuller

### **Teachers**

Plain Grammar	Taschia Platek
Plain Intermediate	Ruth Kingsbury
Plain Primary	Margaret Waite
Center Grammar	Ada Tait
Center Primary	Maxine Ferguson
Chesley	Dorothy Auderer
Whipple	Mrs. Charlotte Perkins

### **School Nurse**

Henrietta Higginbotham

## WARRANT

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### STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Grafton ss.

Town of Lyme

To the Inhabitants of the School District of Lyme qualified to vote in District Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Church Hall in Lyme on the Ninth Day of March, 1937, at two o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees or other officers heretofore chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
6. To choose Agents, Auditors, Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this Warrant.
7. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,005.80 (\$5 on a thousand of the equalized valuation) for the support of schools.
8. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$7,205.62 plus any additional receipts of the department for the salaries of District officers, Administration, Tuition, Transportation, Per Capita Tax, etc., as set forth in the budget.

9. To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$523.26 for the payment of tuition contracted last year.

10. To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to sell the Post Pond and the King District school land and/or buildings or do or act in any other way relating thereto.

11. To see if the District will vote to authorize the School Board to increase the insurance carried on the several school buildings and take any necessary action relating thereto.

12. To transact any other business which may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals at said Lyme this eleventh day of February, 1937.

Arthur E. Derby

Mary A. Chase

Lela M. LaMotte

School Board.

A true copy of Warrant Attest:

Arthur E. Derby

Mary A. Chase

Lela M. LaMotte

School Board.

## LYME SCHOOL DISTRICT

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### Annual Report of District Treasurer Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1936

#### SUMMARY

Cash on hand June 30, 1935	
(Treasurer's bank balance)	\$1,172.84
Received from selectmen, appropriations for current year	\$10,610.03
Dog tax	160.72
Income from trust funds	84.29
Received from State Treasurer (State or Federal Aid)	3,228.89
Received from all other sources	373.67
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	\$14,457.60
Total amount available for fiscal year (Balance and receipts)	15,630.44
Less School Board orders paid	15,378.91
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1936 (Treasurer's bank balance)	251.53

David A. Grant,  
District Treasurer.

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#### Auditor's Certificate

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Lyme, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936 and find them correct in all respects.

Geo. A. Greenwood,  
Marion N. Small

Auditors.

## FINANCIAL REPORT

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For Fiscal Year Beginning July 1st, 1935  
and Ending June 30th, 1936

### Payments

#### Administration:

Salaries of District Officers	\$236.64	
Superintendent's excess salary	321.20	
School census	25.00	
Expenses of Administration	123.93	
	<hr/>	\$706.77

#### Instruction:

Teachers' salaries	\$5,200.00	
Books	245.22	
Scholars' supplies	243.37	
Flags and appurtenances	3.15	
Other expenses of instruction	40.68	
	<hr/>	5,732.42

#### Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:

Janitor service	\$400.95	
Fuel	345.17	
Water, light and janitors' supplies	148.50	
Minor repairs and expenses	320.20	
	<hr/>	1,214.82

#### Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities:

Medical inspection	\$310.84	
Transportation of pupils	2,469.00	
High School tuition	4,523.26	
Other special activities	21.35	
	<hr/>	7,324.45

**Fixed Charges:**

Insurance	\$00.00	
Per Capita Tax	364.00	
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**Outlay:**

Lands and new buildings	\$00.00	
New equipment	36.45	
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Total Payments	\$15,378.91
Cash on hand, June 30, 1936	251.53
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Grand Total	\$15,630.44



## FINANCIAL REPORT

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For the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1935  
and Ending June 30, 1936

### Receipts

#### From Selectmen, raised by taxation:

For support of elementary schools (\$5.00 on a thousand of equalized valuation)	\$5,005.80	
For expense of administration, High School tuition, per capita, etc.	5,004.23	
	<hr/>	\$10,010.03

#### From Other Sources:

Elementary School Tuition	\$72.22	
Dog Tax	160.72	
Trust Fund	84.29	
State Aid equalization fund	3,228.89	
Sale of Property	300.00	
Other Receipts	1.45	
Special appropriation	600.00	
	<hr/>	4,447.57

Total Receipts, all sources	\$14,457.60
Cash on hand, July 1, 1935	1,172.84

Grand Total	<hr/> \$15,630.44
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Mary A. Chase  
Arthur E. Derby  
Lela LaMott  
Members of the School Board.

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This is to certify that we have this day examined the vouchers and books of the School Board of the School District of Lyme, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

George A. Greenwood,  
Marion N. Small,

July 15, 1936

Auditors.

## SCHOOL BOARD BUDGET FOR 1937-1938

<b>Support of Schools:</b>	<b>1936-1937</b>	<b>1937-1938</b>
Teachers' salaries	\$5,350.00	\$6,200.00
Textbooks	200.00	200.00
Scholars' supplies	200.00	200.00
Flags and appurtenances	5.00	10.00
Other expenses of instruction	80.00	80.00
Janitor service	400.00	400.00
Fuel	425.00	450.00
Water, light, janitor supplies	150.00	160.00
Minor repairs and expenses	250.00	250.00
Health supervision	250.00	250.00
Transportation	2,200.00	2,300.00
New equipment	75.00	75.00
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	\$9,585.00	\$10,575.00
 <b>Other Statutory Requirements:</b>		
Salaries of District Officers (Fixed by District)	\$245.00	\$245.00
Tenant Officer and school census (Fixed by District)	25.00	25.00
Payments of High School and Academy tuition, est.	4,000.00	4,000.00
Superintendent's excess sal- ary (Fixed by Union)	350.00	350.00
Per Capita Tax, reported by State Treasurer	354.00	374.00
Other obligations	75.00	75.00
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	\$5,049.00	\$5,069.00

Total amount required to		
Balance School Board's		
Budget	\$14,634.00	\$15,644.00
State Aid, December 1937		
Allotment estimate	2,749.82	2,947.58
Dog Tax, estimate	250.00	200.00
Income from Trust Funds	100.00	85.00
Tuition, estimate	100.00	100.00
Balance, June 30, 1937,		
estimate	100.00	50.00
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	\$3,199.82	\$3,382.58
Total amount to be raised	11,434.18	12,261.42
Required by law	5,055.80	5,055.80
Additional Appropriation	6,378.38	7,205.62
Tuition required by law	1,000.00	523.26
Repairs	500.00	
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	\$12,934.18	\$12,784.68

To apply for State Aid \$5,055.80 must be raised for elementary schools.



## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

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To the School Board and Citizens of the School District of Lyme:

Your Superintendent of Schools presents herewith his ninth annual accounting of school affairs. It is the eighteenth in a series of such documents by a

### Survey

No fundamental changes in school practices have marked the work of this year. The schools are operating under the State Program of Studies which sets up fairly definite goals. Teachers and pupils still manifest a genuine interest in the achievement of these objectives. Not every pupil has reached that degree of progress which is desired but the percentage of successes is usually high. The pupils of Lyme continue to enter high schools and do satisfactory work therein.

Country and world changes seem to have ended a period of hesitency and doubt and begun an era of faith and optimism. This in the end will have its effect upon the pupils in our schools. It is confidently believed that in the next few years the results will be more easily recognized. Education will be sure to benefit by this forward movement.

### Consolidation

The trend of school activities in our state and in many other states is toward a better coordinated school system. Actual experience has enabled people to see the advantages of schools with fewer grades taught by a single teacher. Lyme has been working toward this end for several years. This is due in part to the better opportunity afforded, in part to improved highways, and in part to improved vehicles of transportation. All of these factors have tended to eliminate some of the former difficulties in the way of transportation from rural areas to village centers. It is probable that not all has been done that may well be done in this town. It may not be too much to expect that the two village

schools shall eventually serve the entire school population of the town.

It has been repeatedly demonstrated that better school work is done by the pupils under these improved conditions and that at no greater cost and sometimes at a lesser cost to the community. The School Board and citizens may well give consideration as to whether or not the time has come to carry this movement still further and close one or more of the rural schools now in operation. There is a possibility that if such action is not taken in the near future, by the law of averages Lyme may receive a lesser benefit from the state allotments of aid than would be the case were her schools all to be confined to the two buildings mentioned.

This is brought to your attention at this time so that there can be no misunderstanding should it be necessary for action to be taken at a later date.

### **Building Improvements**

The building improvements which have been undertaken during the past several years are now nearly completed. This past summer the much needed improvements were made in the building at Lyme Center. The work there included the digging of a cellar, installing a furnace, providing running water, re-building the toilet facilities and establishing a complete system of flush toilets, wash basins and drinking fountains. This was done very largely through the utilization of local labor. The cost of this project was therefore kept within reasonable bounds. The facilities afforded should serve the community for many years to come.

The increased number of pupils at the Plain School necessitated the request to the Library to move from the room formerly occupied by them and to open that room for school purposes. There will need to be some additional improvements made in that room before it is entirely adequate. These improvements include blackboards and interior decoration and finishing.

No other major items seem to be in need of immediate attention.



### **Unused Buildings**

There are in the town at the present time several school buildings which are not in use. It does not seem probable that some of these buildings will ever again be called upon for school service. They have been closed for ten or more years. It would appear to be in the interest of sound business practice to dispose of these buildings as soon as the appropriate votes may be passed and buyers found who are willing to pay a sufficient amount to justify the Board in making sales of these buildings.

### **Insurance**

The question of insurance has been brought to the attention of the Board this year and it should soon be decided as to whether or not the town should carry an additional amount of insurance on its school buildings to provide for possible losses. Such additional insurance could be secured on a three-year basis in such a way as to make an almost equal amount required each fiscal year. It will be necessary to add somewhat to the budget in order to meet this contingency.

### **Teachers**

There was one change in the regular teaching staff during the past summer; that at the Chesley School. In August it was found that there would be more pupils in attendance at the school at the Plain than could be taught to advantage by the two teachers assigned there. After conference with the Commissioner of Education it was decided to provide an additional teacher for that building. The State Board has made possible this addition by an increase in the allotment for State Aid for the current fiscal year. This situation was met only because it was possible for the School Board to secure the use of the additional room at the Plain as indicated in a preceding paragraph.

Early in the present school year it became advisable for the senior teacher in the Plain School to sever her connections with the schools, due entirely to her own personal affairs. While everyone regretted that this step was unforeseen, plans were

made rapidly to adjust the school situation with a minimum of loss to the pupils. This means that at the present time, of the seven teachers in the schools three are beginning the work in Lyme this year. As indicated in a previous report it is desirable when possible to maintain over a period of years the same teaching staff but the exigencies of life make this next to impossible as do other conditions such as a desire on the part of certain individuals to grow in their profession and because of that believe that to do this it is advantageous from time to time to change teaching positions.

It is expected that the work will continue to improve as the present group becomes more and more acquainted with the plans and purposes of the schools of Lyme.

### **Budget**

Your attention is directed to the fact that it again becomes necessary to ask for an added amount for tuition because of the increasingly large number of pupils who were in attendance upon high schools during the past school year. Since providing for high school tuition is a requirement of the law the school district is obliged to make these appropriations.

The increase in the request for budget for 1937-1938 is due primarily to the fact that unless changes take place there will be a need for seven teachers instead of six as was the case last year.

The other items in the budget seem to be fairly well stabilized and it would appear that as soon as the tuition situation is adjusted it may be possible to slightly decrease the amounts requested to be raised. It is probable that if the conditions remain about as at present that the estimated State Aid will be increased but that can not be definitely foreseen at present writing, hence the budget has been prepared as indicated.

### **Recommendations**

To make clear that there is no misunderstanding as to the import of the statements made herein, the following are set up as recommendations which

should have the consideration of the Board and citizens in the near future.

(1) That as soon as possible additional plans be made for closing one or both of the one-room schools now in operation.

(2) That an article be inserted in the warrant to make possible the sale of such school buildings as have ceased to be of service.

(3) That additional insurance be placed upon such school buildings as continue to be used by the District.

May I express full appreciation to the pupils, teachers, citizens, and School Board for such helpfulness as has been extended in the operation of your schools. It will continue to be our effort to merit such cooperation and to carry on the work of the schools in the best manner possible.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert. J. Fuller.

# SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Year Ending June, 1936

Arranged by Schools and Teachers

School	Teacher	Enrollment	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Per Cent Attendance	Tardinesses	Tardiness per pupil
Plain Gram., Esther Serafini		35	30.58	28.49	93.16	2	.05
Plain Primary, Margaret Waite		40	36.51	33.58	91.97	2	.05
Center Gram., Ada Tait		20	18.81	17.64	93.78	11	.55
Center Prim., Maxine Ferguson		17	14.41	13.76	95.47	5	.29
Whipple, Charlotte Perkins		11	10.99	10.15	92.32	30	2.73
Chesley, Esther Ames		18	15.32	14.85	96.93	27	1.50
Totals or averages for 1936		141	126.62	118.47	93.56	77	.54
Totals or averages for 1935		146	124.05	115.49	93.10	208	1.58
Totals or averages for 1934		140	132.51	123.92	93.51	270	2.03
Totals or averages for 1933		151	149.26	139.62	93.53	194	1.36
Totals or averages for 1932		154	138.28	129.11	94.30	184	1.2
Totals or averages for 1931		135	113.77	110.22	96.80	149	1.1
Totals or averages for 1930		142	126.48	119.16	95.	137	.96
Totals or averages for 1929		140	116.52	110.79	95.07	212	1.5
Totals or averages for 1928		133	120.56	117.31	97.3	325	2.4
Totals or averages for 1927		125	115.21	111.81	97.	256	2.22

The tardiness record for the year has continued to decrease. It will be noted that the average tardiness per pupil in all of the schools is less than one, which is the lowest record for the last ten years. Parents in outlying areas can do much toward helping the teacher in maintaining better averages of attendance and to lessen tardinesses. The average attendance for the year is somewhat lower than was anticipated. This is no doubt due to prolonged absences because of contagious diseases. While such absences can not be helped, pupils are expected to be present every school day that the school is in session.

## GRADUATES, 1936

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### Plain School:

Donald J. Balch  
Margaret A. Bonnett  
Wallace A. Fountain  
Jackson R. Hazen  
Evelyn R. Roberts  
Irene E. Wilmot  
Asa E. Wilmot

### Center School:

Charlotte H. Balch  
Eunice A. Bryant  
Roger B. Elder  
Gordon L. Hall  
Roland Quirion

### Chesley School:

Beth G. Chesley  
Martha E. Hardy

## ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

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For Year Ending June, 1936

### Entire Year

Bryant, Eunice	Greenwood, Mildred
Columbia, Frances	Pushee, Ellen
Columbia, Frederick	Tattersall, George
Dennis, Marion	Wilkinson, Charles
Elder, Roger	

### First Period

Bailey, Beverly	Pushee, Donald
Balch, Donald	Pushee, Ellen
Balch, James	Pushee, Marion
Bonnett, Margaret	Race, John
Bonnett, Robert	Race, Wendell
Bryant, Eunice	Rich, George
Columbia, Frances	Small, Jean
Columbia, Frederick	Smith, Helen
Davis, Dwight	Stevens, Hazel
DeGoosh, Anne	Stewart, Barbara
DeGoosh, Mary	Stewart, Kenneth
DeGoosh, Richard	Tattersall, George
Dennis, Marion	Tattersall, Ruth
Elder, Roger	Thompson, Daisy
Fountain, Wallace	Thompson, Daniel
Gray, Richard	Thornton, Ruth
Greenwood, Mildred	Turner, Virginia
Hall, Gordon	Uline, Kenneth
Hall, Ray	Vachon, Mildred
Hall, Richard	Wilkinson, Charles
Harriman, Anna	Wilmot, Irene
Hobbs, George	Wilmot, Irvin
Jenks, Roger	Wilmott, Addie
Lamphere, Allen	Wilmott, Archie
McClellan, Marcia	Wilmott, Asa
McClellan, Paul	Wilmott, Chester
Perkins, Verla	Wilmott, Nina
Pike, Ida	



### Second Period

Abbott, Watson	O'Brien, Roger
Bonnett, Robert	Perkins, Pauline
Brockway, Jeanette	Pike, Ida
Bryant, Eunice	Piper, Dolores
Bunker, Wilburta	Pushee, Ellen
Chesley, Beth	Pushee, Marion
Chesley, George	Small, Jean
Chesley, Marion	Stewart, Barbara
Columbia, Frances	Stewart, Kenneth
Columbia, Frederick	Tattersall, Ruth
DeGoosh, Anne	Tattersall, George
Dennis, Marion	Thompson, Daisy
Elder, Roger	Thompson, Daniel
Fountain, Wallace	Thornton, Ruth
Gray, Esther	Turner, Virginia
Gray, Gerald	Wilkinson, Charles
Gray, Richard	Wilkinson, Don
Greenwood, Mildred	Wilmot, Irene
Gregory, Mildred	Wilmot, Marion
Hall, Ray	Wilmott, Addie
Harriman, Anna	Wilmott, Archie
Jenks, Roger	Wilmott, Asa
Lawson, Bertha	Wilmott, Chester
McClellan, Paul	

### Third Period

Bryant, Eunice	Hardy, Martha
Chesley, Beth	Hardy, Mildred
Chesley, Marion	Pushee, Ellen
Columbia, Frances	Smith, Helen
Columbia, Frederick	Tattersall, George
Dennis, Marion	Tattersall, Ruth
Elder, Roger	Wilkinson, Charles
Greenwood, Mildred	

#### Fourth Period

Balch, Donald	O'Brien, Robert
Bonnett, Margaret	O'Brien, Roger
Bonnett, Robert	Pushee, Albert
Brockway, Jeannette	Pushee, Ellen
Brockway, Margaret	Pushee, Marion
Bryant, Eunice	Race, John
Columbia, Frances	Race, Wendell
Columbia, Frederick	Sanborn, Gracie
Cutting, Clyde	Sanborn, Howard
Cutting, Elinor	Sanborn, Richard
Cutting, Frank	Shaw, Norman
Day, Jasper	Smith, Helen
DeGoosh, Anne	Stevens, Hazel
Dennis, Marion	Tattersall, George
Elder, Roger	Thornton, Ruth
Fountain, Wallace	Turner, Virginia
Greenwood, Mildred	Wilkinson, Charles
Harriman, Anna	Wilmot, Irene
Herrick, Belle	Wilmott, Addie
Hobbs, George	Wilmott, Archie
McClellan, Marcia	Wilmott, Asa
McClellan, Paul	Wilmott, Chester
O'Brien, Pauline	

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VITAL STATISTICS  
1936

# Births Registered in The Town of Lyme for Year Ending December 31, 1936

Date 1936	Place of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex	Living, Still	No. Child	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Age of Father
Mar. 17	Lyme	Doris H. Davis	M	F	5	Gerald W. Davis	Hettie K. Davis	Lyme	Farmer	Groton	Canada	34 28
Mar. 19	Lyme	Arthur W. Thompson	M	F	4	Wm. H. Thompson	Della E. Bryant	Lyme	Farmer	Quebec	Lyme	48 28
Mar. 19	Lyme	Arlene D. Thompson	F	F	5	Wm. H. Thompson	Della E. Bryant	Lyme	Farmer	Quebec	Lyme	48 28
Mar. 24	Lyme	Lillian D. Wilmot	F	F	9	Irving A. Wilmot	Lillian D. Sayre	Lyme	Farmer	Lyme	Thetford, Vt.	48 40
Mar. 28	Lyme	Mildred F. Wilmot	F	F	12	Homor D. Wilmot	Flora M. Wing	Lyme	Farmer	Lyme	Lyme	48 37
Apr. 15	Lyme	Stanley D. Pushee	M	F	6	David J. Pushee Jr.	Florence B. DeGoosh	Lyme	Farmer	Canada	Unity	30 28
Apr. 18	Lyme	Patricia A. Thompson	M	F	3	Geo. W. Thompson	Jos'phine M. Dennis	Lyme	Carpenter	Lyme	Lyme	40 24
July 4	Hanover	Richard W. Pushee	M	F	1	Olyph A. Pushee	Dorris Johnson	Lyme	Laborer	Lebanon	Thetford, Vt.	26 19
July 10	Hanover	Joan F. Fields	M	F	2	John E. Fields	Meda P. Roberts	Lyme	Laborer	Lebanon	Lyme	23 22
July 10	Lebanon	Wayne P. Bates	M	F	1	John E. Bates	Sara E. Pushee	Lyme	Road Agent	Vermont	Lyme	33 30
Aug. 10	Lyme	Doris B. Tibbitts	M	F	2	Wm. H. Bates	Irene Maxwell	Lyme	Laborer	Fairlee, Vt.	Vermont	33 19
Aug. 20	Lyme	Ernest J. Carr	M	F	9	Lewis F. Carr	Stella M. Rowell	Lyme	Laborer	Corinth, Vt.	Lyme	36 28
Sept. 14	Lyme	Muriel J. Grant	M	F	1	Alanson W. Grant	Evelyn V. Marsh	Lyme	Laborer	Chicago, Ill.	Orford	25 21
Oct. 4	Lyme	Arthur H. Piper	M	F	5	William C. Piper	Dorothy B. Henry	Lyme	Laborer	Newport	Lyme	40 28
Nov. 20	Lyme	David G. Fowler	M	F	3	David G. Fowler	Olive Greenwood	Lyme	Farmer	Cornish	Norwich, Vt.	35 24
Dec. 30	Lyme	Kent K. DeGoosh	M	F	11	Howard E. DeGoosh	Nettie M. Pushee	Lyme	Farmer	Cornish	Lyme	44 43

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
 DAVID A. GRANT, Town Clerk



# Marriages Registered in the Town of Lyme for Year Ending December 31, 1936

Date	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age	Color	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	Marriage Condition	Name, Residence and official station of Person by whom Married
May 6	Hanover	Davila Doyon	Lyme	28	W	Lumberman	St. Rose, Can.	Leon Doyon Mary Turcotte	St. Victor, Can.	Farmer	N	John W. Sliney
		Simone Paulin	Lyme	18	W	Bookkeeper	St. Just, P. Q.	Joseph A. Poulin Anna Bontin	St. Everiste, Can.	Jobber	1 S	R. C. Clergyman
June 30	Orford	Clarence L. Pushee	Lyme	39	W	Laborer	Lyme	Fannie C. Post Geo. E. Tattersall	Shirley P. Q. Thetford, Vt.	Farmer	2 D	C. C. Claris
July 4	Lyme	Evelyn T. Tattersall	Lyme	17	W	At Home	Lyme	Emily A. Mousley Jacob Gains	Orford	Farmer	1 S	Earl C. Perkins
		Albert Gamins	B't'n, Mass.	30	W	Salesman	Russia	Bessie Pollack Jeremiah McPherson	Russia England	Retired	1 S	Justice of the Peace
		Florence C. Shea	B't'n, Mass.	25	W	At Home	Boston, Mass.	Chas. W. Coates Myrtle L. Willard	Ireland	Laborer	2 D	C. C. Claris
July 6	Orford	Leon C. Bombard	Lyme	24	W	Farmer	Lyme	Leonard Willard Lennie Buck	Burlington, Vt.	Housewife	1 S	C. C. Clergyman
July 16	Lyme	Lucia Willard	Haverhill	21	W	At Home	Wareham, Mass.	Levi C. LaDeau Dora F. T. Russell	Brookline, N. Y.	Housewife	1 S	Kenneth C. Bunker
		Kenneth J. LaDeau	Fairlee, Vt.	26	W	Barber	Hartford, Vt.	Grace H. Tilton George Green	Morrisville, Vt.	Housewife	1 S	Clergyman
		Arlene W. Trussell	Fairlee, Vt.	20	W	Tel. Operator	Fairlee, Vt.	Julia Millen Harry Wright	Orford	Mill Wright	1 S	Stanley B. Hyde
Oct. 3	Ludlow, Vt.	William M. Green	Lyme	21	W	Clerk	Perkinsville, Vt.	Vera Simonds Carlton Slack	Bristol	Housewife	1 S	Clergyman
		Thelma H. Wright	Ludlow, Vt.	19	W		W'stmin'str, Vt.	Harry Wright Vera Simonds	Reading, Vt.		1 S	Ludlow, Vt.
Oct. 17	Lyme	Harold E. Slack	N'wich, Vt.	32	W	Laborer	Chelsea, Vt.	Ernie F. Goodell Glady's Hanson	Wethersfield, Vt.	Farmer	1 S	Kenneth C. Bunker
		Katherine L. Goodell	N'wich, Vt.	19	W	At Home	Norwich, Vt.	Henry C. Harriman Alice Cox	Williamstown, Vt.	Retired	2 D	Clergyman
Oct. 31	B't'w's F, Vt.	Wm. B. Harriman	Lyme	32	W	Truckdriver	Haverhill	Fred J. Taylor Daisy C. Wilder	Littfield	Housewife	1 S	Harlin M. Campbell
		Dora D. Taylor	Orford	38	W		Thetford, Vt.	George H. Fay Alma Locke	Holderness	Farmer	2 D	Clergyman
		George H. Fay	Lyme	23	W	Farmer	Danbury	Ned E. Watts Rabba Thompson	Thetford, Vt.	Farmer	2 D	Bellevue Falls, Vt.
Nov. 26	Danbury	Frances J.H. Watts	Lyme	18	W	At Home	Lebanon	Frank F. Balch Harrif A. Pushee	Danbury	Laborer	1 S	J. Sam McKay
		Grant P. Balch	Lyme	30	W	Laborer	Mexico, Me.	Alfred E. Houson Florence L. Johns'n	Concord	Housewife	1 S	Clergyman
Nov. 29	Bath	Margar't L. Houston	Bath	30	W	At Home	Bath	Arthur F. Tuller Anna M. Hooker	Hanover	Farmer	1 S	Danbury
		Merlin A. Tuller	Corinth, Vt.	20	W	Farmer	Corinth, Vt.	Albert M. Bassett Beatrice B. Bentley	Canada	Housewife	1 S	Ben Malcofm Smith
		Ivah A. A. Bassett	Lyme	19	W	At Home	Canada	Victor Nelson Helena Lahti	Lyme	Housewife	1 S	Clergyman
		Waino Nelson	Fitt'g, M'ss.	25	W	Laborer	Fitchburg, M'ss.	Clarence Hastings Rose Gendron	Finland	Weaver	1 S	Newbury, Vt.
Dec. 25	Lyme	Claire Hastings	Fitt'g, M'ss.	18	W	Waitress	Fitchburg, M'ss.		Canada	Housewife	1 S	Kenneth C. Bunker
										Comb Maker	1 S	Lyme
										Housewife	1 S	Kenneth C. Bunker

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
 DAVID A. GRANT, Town Clerk.

## Deaths Registered in The Town of Lyme for Year Ending December 31, 1936

Date 1936	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age Year	Month	Day	Place of Birth	Sex	Color	S. M. W.	Occupation	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Mar. 17	Lyme	George A. Brockway	76	0	7	Waterbury, Vt.	M	W	W	Farmer	New York	New Hampshire	Charles Brockway	Margaret Hadley
Mar. 21	Haverhill	Edward M. Camp	73	7	6	Hyde Park, Vt.	M	W	S	Retired	Morrisville, Vt.	Chelsea, Vt.	Bushrod W. Camp	Ellen L. Spiller
Mar. 23	Lyme	Hattie W. Abbott	75	4	9	Dorchester	F	F	W	Housewife	Dorchester	Lyme	Wells Robbins	Emma B. Youngman
Apr. 18	Hanover	P'tricia A. Thompson	45	min		Lyme	M	F	W	S	Canada	Lyme	Geo. W. Thompson	Josephene M. Dennis
July 15	Lyme	Carroll S. Wells	75	10	27	Cambridge, Vt.	M	W	M	Farmer	Waterville, Vt.	Lyme	Rollin S. Wells	Eliza Jane Hall
Sept. 3	Lyme	George P. Grant	50	9	20	Lyme	M	W	D	Foreman	Lyme	Lyme	John H. Grant	Cina A. Pelton
Dec. 9	Lyme	Otis D. Bond	51	8	2	Corinth, Vt.	M	W	W	Post Master	Topsham, Vt.	Corinth, Vt.	Daniel M. Bond	Julia E. Bailey
Dec. 10	Hartford, Vt.	Edgar Smith	35	5	2		M	W	S					
Dec. 19	Lyme	Goule Jason Camp	43	2	14	Lyme	M	W	S	Farmer	Lyme	Lyme	Frank L. Camp	Anna A. Alden

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
**DAVID A. GRANT, Town Clerk.**





